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Sardar Patel Bhawan, Sansad Marg, New Delhi-110001 Dated: 27/07/15

#### **E - TENDER NOTICE**

# SUB:-E-TENDER FOR SUPPLY OF PHOTOCOPY PAPERS OF DIFFERENT SIZES IN THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS & PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION.

Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation invites online Tender under two bid system from registered and authorized service providers/ agencies for supply of Photocopy Papers of different sizes in this Ministry. **Manual bids shall not be accepted in any circumstances.** 

2. Bids/Tenders should be submitted only online through Central Public Procurement Portal (CPPP): <a href="http://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app">http://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app</a>. Tenderers/Contractors are advised to follow the instructions provided in the 'Instructions to the Contractors/Tenderers for the e-submission of the bids online through the CPPP for e-Procurement at <a href="http://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app">http://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app</a>.

#### CRITICAL DATE SHEET

Procedure/Schedule for Tender	Date/Time
Bid Document Download / sale start Date	28 <sup>th</sup> July, 2015
Clarification Start Date	28 <sup>th</sup> July, 2015
Clarification End Date	28 <sup>th</sup> July, 2015
Pre bid meeting	Not applicable
Bid Submission Start Date	28 <sup>th</sup> July, 2015
Bid Document Download end date	03:00 PM, 19 <sup>th</sup> August, 2015
Bid Submission End Date	03:30 PM, 19 <sup>th</sup> August, 2015
Technical bid opening date	04:00 PM, 19 <sup>th</sup> August, 2015
Financial bid opening date	Will be notified later.

4. Tender documents can be downloaded from Ministry's Website <a href="http://www.mospi.nic.in">http://www.mospi.nic.in</a> and CPP Portal <a href="http://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app">http://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app</a>. Tenderer who has downloaded the tender from the BRO website <a href="http://www.mospi.nic.in">http://www.mospi.nic.in</a> and

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Central Public Procurement Portal (CPPP) website <a href="https://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app">https://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app</a> shall not tamper/modify the tender form including downloaded price bid template in any manner. In case if the same is found to be tempered or modified in any manner, tender will be completely rejected and EMD will be forfeited and Tenderer will be liable to be banned for future.

## Instructions for Online Bid Submission

The bidders are required to submit soft copies of their bids electronically on the CPP Portal, using valid Digital Signature Certificates. The instructions given below are meant to assist the bidders in registering on the CPP Portal, prepare their bids in accordance with the requirements and submitting their bids online on the CPP Portal. More useful information for submitting online bids on the CPP Portal may be obtained from: <a href="http://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app">http://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app</a>.

#### REGISTRATION

- Bidders are required to enrol on the e-Procurement module of the Central Public Procurement Portal (URL: <a href="http://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app">http://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app</a>) by clicking on the link "Online bidder Enrolment" on the CPP Portal which is free of charge.
- 2) As part of the enrolment process, the bidders will be required to choose a unique username and assign a password for their accounts.
- Bidders are advised to register their valid email address and mobile numbers as a part of the registration process. These would be used for any communication from the CPP Portal.
- 4) Upon enrolment, the bidders will be required to register their valid Digital Signature Certificate (Class II or Class III Certificates with signing key usage) issued by any Certifying Authority recognized by CCA India (e.g. Sify/nCode/eMudhra etc.), with their profile.
- Only one valid DSC should be registered by a bidder. Please note that the bidders are responsible to ensure that they do not lend their DSC's to others which may lead to misuse.
- 6) Bidder then may log in to the site through the secured log-in by using their user ID and password of the DSC/e-Token.

#### SEARCHING FOR TENDER DOCUMENTS

There are various search options built in the CPP Portal, to facilitate bidders to search active tenders by several parameters. These parameters could include Tender ID, Organization Name, Location, Date, Value, etc. There is also an option of advanced search for tenders, wherein the bidders may combine a number of search parameters such as Organization Name, Form of Contract, Location, Date, Other keywords etc. to search for a tender published on the CPP.

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- Once the bidders have selected the tenders they are interested in, they may download the required documents/tender schedules. These tenders can be moved to the respective 'My Tenders' folder. This would enable the CPP Portal to intimate the bidders through SMS/e-mail in case there is any corrigendum issued to the tender document.
- 3) The bidder should make a note of the unique Tender ID assigned to each tender, in case they want to obtain any clarification/help from the Helpdesk.

#### PREPARATION OF BIDS

- Bidder should take into account any corrigendum published on the Tender document before submitting their bids.
- 2) Please go through the Tender Advertisement and the tender document carefully to understand the documents required to be submitted. Please note the number of covers in which the bid documents have to be submitted, the number of documents including the names and content of each of the document that need to be submitted. Any deviations from these may lead to rejection of the bid.
- 3) Bidder, in advance, should get ready their bid documents to be submitted as indicated in the Tender document/schedule and generally, they can be in PDF/XLS/RAR/DWF/JPG formats. Bid documents may be scanned with 100 dpi with black and white option which helps in reducing size of the scanned document.
- 4) To avoid the time and effort required in uploading the same, set of standard documents which are required to be submitted as a part of every bid, a provision of uploading such standard documents (e.g. PAN card copy, annual reports, auditor certificates etc.) has been provided to the bidders. Bidders can use "My Space" or "Other Important Documents" area available to them to upload such documents. These documents may be directly submitted from the "My Space" area while submitting a bid, and need not to upload again and again. This will lead to a reduction in the time required for bid submission process.

#### SUBMISSION OF BIDS

- Bidder should log into the site well in advance for bid submission so that they can upload the bid in time i.e. on or before the bid submission date & time. Bidder will be responsible for any delay due to other issues.
- The bidder has to digitally sign and upload the required bid documents one by one as indicated in the tender document.
- 3) Bidder has to select the payment option as "offline" to pay the tender fee/EMD as applicable and enter details of the consumables.

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- 4) Bidder should prepare the EMD as per the instructions specified in the Tender document. The original should be posted/couriered/given in person to the concerned official, latest by the last date of bid submission or as specified in the Tender documents. The details of the DD/any other accepted instrument, physically sent, should tally with the details available in the scanned copy and the data entered during bid submission. Otherwise the uploaded bid will be rejected.
- 5) The server time (which is displayed on the bidders' dashboard) will be considered as the standard time for referencing the deadlines for submission of the bids by the bidders, opening of bids etc. The bidders should follow this time during bid submission.
- 7) All the documents being submitted by the bidders would be encrypted using PKI encryption techniques to ensure the secrecy of the data. The data entered cannot be viewed by unauthorized persons until the time of bid opening. The confidentiality of the bids is maintained using the secured Socket Layer 128 bit encryption technology. Data storage encryption of sensitive fields is done. Any bid document that is uploaded to the server is subjected to symmetric encryption using a system generated symmetric key. Further this key is subjected to asymmetric encryption using buyers/bid openers public keys. Overall, the uploaded Tender documents become readable only after the tender opening by the authorized bid openers.
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- 9) Upon the successful and timely submission of bids (i.e. after Clicking "Freeze Bid Submission" in the portal), the portal will give a successful bid submission message & a bid summary will be displayed with the bid no., date & time of submission of the bid with all other relevant details.
- 10) The bid summary has to be printed and kept as an acknowledgement of the submission of the bid. This acknowledgement may be used as an entry pass for any bid opening meetings.

# ASSISTANCE TO BIDDERS

- Any query relating to the Tender document and the terms and conditions contained therein should be addressed to the Tender Inviting Authority for a tender or the relevant contact person indicated in the Tender.
- Any queries relating to the process of online bid submission or queries relating to CPP Portal in general may be directed to the 24x7 CPP Portal Helpdesk. The contact number for the helpdesk is 1800 3070 72232.

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### CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

- Rates mentioned in the quotation if accepted shall remain same during the rate contracted period and no request for any increase in the rates will be entertained during the period of contract.
- This Ministry will not accept any duplicate/substandard item or items. The manufacturing date should not be more than six months from the date of supply order. If the supplier is not able to supply the items of desired quality, appropriate action such as imposition of penalty and cancellation of agreement or forfeiture of security deposit as the competent authority may deem fit will be taken against default suppliers. Therefore, the items supplied should be as per specification/brand from the original manufacturers.
- The tenderer should have a well-established office, located within the Municipal Area of Delhi.
- 4. The firm should be in a position to supply the specified items mentioned in the list enclosed on short notice also as and when needed.
- 5. The rate should be inclusive of delivery charges to the office of Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation located at Sardar Patel Bhavan, Sansad Marg, New Delhi, Jeevan Prakash Building, K.G. Marg, New Delhi and West Block, R.K. Puram, New Delhi.
- 6. The firm should be registered with the government for the purpose of VAT/Service Tax etc. and the copy of certificate should be attached with the bid documents failing of which bids will not be accepted.
- 7. The bidder should sign all the pages of the annexure while quoting rates.
- 8. The bidder should be a reputed government supplier (GOI/Sate Govt./PSU of GOI/NCT of Delhi) of said items with an experience of 3 years and also having sound financial standing with average annual turnover of Rs.20 Lakh (Rupees Twenty Lakh Only). Bidder must attach their audited balance sheet of last three years with the quotation.
- Delivery of Supply order shall be made within 1-2 days maximum. If any complaint is not undertaken within a day and if the replacement of any defective/damage item is not done a penalty as deem fit, will be charged.
- No advance payment shall be made to the agency; however payment shall be made after supply of all the items of mentioned in supply order. If any single item is not supplied of the supply order, the payment of whole will not be made in any circumstances. The Rate Contract shall be valid for a minimum period of one year from the date of notification of the rate contract or from the date of awarding the contract. However, the contract period shall be extended further, subject to satisfactory services, on year to year basis on mutually agreed Terms & Conditions.
- 11. The finalized contract shall be interpreted under Indian Laws. In case of dispute of any kind, the firm shall abide by the decision of the Competent Authority, Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation, New Delhi. In case the

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dispute is required to be referred to Arbitration, it shall be referred to sole arbitrator under **Arbitration and Conciliation Act 1996**. The place of settlement of dispute shall be Delhi. In the case of settlement of dispute is in the court, it will be in the jurisdiction of courts at Delhi.

- Tender value of this contract is approx. **Rs.12 to 15 Lakh** and Tender must be accompanied with bid security (EMD) of an amount of **Rs.50,000/-** (Rupees Fifty Thousand Only) in the form of Account payee Demand Draft/pay order drawn in favour of Pay and Accounts Officer, Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation, payable at New Delhi. Quotations without bid security will not be accepted under any circumstances. The bid security will be refunded to the unsuccessful bidders after finalization of the contract. Successful bidder will have to further deposit an additional amount of **Rs.1,00,000/-** (Rupees One Lakh Only) in the form of Account payee Demand Draft or Pay Order as performance security, which will be returned after successful completion of the contract.
- 13. The estimated quantity required has been indicated in Annexure I in schedule of requirement. It is mandatory to fill the rates of all the items. Maximum variation in quantity can be limited to ± 20%. The firms are requested to keep in mind the economy of scale while quoting for the same. Different firms may be given different items depending upon L-1 quotation.
- 14. Detailed information/terms and conditions for the purpose can either be obtained from Under Secretary (Genl.), Room No. 201, Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation, Sardar Patel Bhavan, New Delhi (Ph. No. 011-23747929) or downloaded from the website <a href="http://www.mospi.nic.in">http://www.mospi.nic.in</a>.
- 15. Tender Acceptance Letter as per Annexure II should be filled in with the signature on the letter head of the company. Technical specification should also be filled strictly as per Annexure III. The Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation reserves the right to accept or reject any tender in full or in part without assigning any reasons thereof. The decision of the Joint Secretary, Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation in this regard shall be final and binding on the firm.

(Sunder Singh)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India.



# Annexure - I

# SCHEDULE OF REQUIREMENT

# Rates should be quoted as per unit/quantity indicate against each item.

SI. No.	Item description	Size/Type	Annual requirement	Rate per Ream/pkt (Rs.)
1	Supply of Photocopy Papers of 75 GSM (JK or equivalent)	A-4 Size	8000 Ream	
2	Supply of Photocopy Papers of 75 GSM (JK or equivalent)	A-3 Size	50 Ream	
3	Supply of Photocopy Papers of 75 GSM (JK or equivalent)	FS/Legal	100 Ream	

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Name & Signature with date Seal of the firm

## Annexure -II

# TENDER ACCEPTANCE LETTER (To be given on Company Letter Head)

		Date:
То		
Sub: Acceptance of Tern Tender Reference No: Name of Tender / Work:		
Dear Sir,  1. I/ We have download 'Tender/Work' from the		ment(s) for the above mentioned
2. I/We hereby certify to documents from Page N schedule(s), etc., which by the terms/conditions, 3. The corrigendum(s) has also been taken into 4. I/We hereby unconditions document(s)/corrigendum(s). I/We do hereby declar Department/Public sectors. I/We certify that all it event that the information department/Organisation summarily reject the bid	form part of the contract agray/clauses contained therein. issued from time to time by consideration, while submitt tionally accept the tender coun(s) in its totality/entirety. are that our Firm has not been undertaking. Information furnished by the cion is found to be incorrect/on shall without giving and or terminate the contract, it	e terms and conditions of the tender ding all documents like annexure(s), reement and I/we shall abide hereby your department/ Organisation too
<u> </u>		Yours Faithfully,

(Signature of Bidder with Name)

#### Annexure-III

#### TECHNICAL BID

# Rate Contract for supplying of Photocopy Papers

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SI. No.	W. 022	
1.	Name of firm	
2.	Address of Firm	
3.	Registration No. of the firm/ company (copy enclosed) (Yes/No)	
4.	PAN/ TIN/ VAT Registration No. ( copy must be enclosed) ( Yes/No)	
4.	Name of the authorized signatory	
5.	Specimen Signature of the Authorized signatory	
6.	Telephone Number of the authorized signatory and other Telephone Numbers of the Firm/ company	
7.	Whether the firm had enclosed EMD. If "YES" then DD/Pay order no	
8.	Details of the Contract/Agreement with Ministries/Departments/Organizations /PSUs etc. in which the firm is engaged in supplying of Photocopy Papers for at least five years. Copies or work orders must be enclosed.	
9.	Whether proof/copies of Work Order on items at SI.No.8 enclose (Yes/No)	
10.	Income Tax return for last two years ( copy enclosed) ( Yes/No)	
11.	Under taking/ acceptance of terms & Conditions by the firm. (Separate sheet enclosed) – yes /No.)	

 I have fully read the terms & conditions of the tender documents and agreeable to me/us.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

Name & Signature with date Seal of the firm.